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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Takeshige Yokota
Serial No.: 10/772,922 Art Unit: 1761
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For: **BEVERAGE CONTAINER WITH A PACKET CONTAINING
GREEN TEA OR OTHER NUTRITIONAL SUPPLEMENTS**
Customer No.: 29540

AMENDMENT

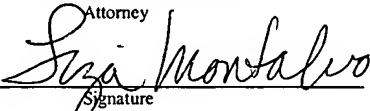
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P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Applicant respectfully submits this response to the non-final Office Action mailed by the United States Patent and Trademark Office on September 1, 2005. A response to the Office Action was due December 1, 2005. A petition for a three-month extension of time is filed herewith along with the associated fee pursuant §1.17(a).

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on March 1, 2006.

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